

Tuesday, June 27, 1995

Daily Digest

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages S9109–S9198

Measures Introduced: Seven bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 968–974, and S. Res. 142. **Page S9174**

Measures Passed:

Congratulating the New Jersey Devils: Senate agreed to S. Res. 142, to congratulate the N.J. Devils for becoming the 1995 NHL champions and thus winning the Stanley Cup. **Pages S9174, S9182**

Private Securities Litigation Reform Act: Senate continued consideration of S. 240, to amend the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 to establish a filing deadline and to provide certain safeguards to ensure that the interests of investors are well protected under the implied private action provisions of the Act, with a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute, taking action on further amendments proposed thereto, as follows: **Pages S9109–45, S9150–73**

Adopted:

(1) D'Amato Modified Amendment No. 1476, of a perfecting nature. **Page S9117**

(2) Biden Amendment No. 1481, to make applicable the criminal Rico statutes if any participant in fraud is criminally convicted. **Page S9163**

(3) Bingaman/Bryan Amendment No. 1482, to clarify the application of sanctions under rule 11 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure in private securities litigation. **Pages S9163–64**

Rejected:

(1) By 39 yeas to 60 nays, 1 responding present (Vote No. 286), Bryan Amendment No. 1474, to restore the liability of aiders and abettors in private actions. **Pages S9109–12, S9115–16**

(2) By 41 yeas to 58 nays, 1 responding present (Vote No. 287), Boxer/Bingaman Amendment No. 1475, to establish procedures governing the appointment of lead plaintiffs in private securities class actions. **Pages S9112–17**

(3) By 43 yeas to 56 nays, 1 responding present (Vote No. 288), Sarbanes/Lautenberg Amendment No. 1477, to require the Securities and Exchange

Commission to review the regulatory “safe harbor” for forward looking statements. **Pages S9117–31**

(4) Sarbanes Amendment No. 1478, to establish that an exemption from liability is lost for forward looking statements made when knowingly misleading or false. By 50 yeas to 48 nays, 1 responding present (Vote No. 289), Senate tabled the amendment. **Pages S9133–45**

(5) By 32 yeas to 61 nays, 1 responding present (Vote No. 290), Graham Amendment No. 1479, to provide for an early evaluation procedure in securities class actions. **Pages S9150–56, S9162**

Pending:

(1) Boxer Amendment No. 1480, to exclude insider traders who benefit from false or misleading forward looking statements from safe harbor protection. **Pages S9156–63**

(2) Specter Amendment No. 1483, to provide for sanctions for abuse litigation. **Pages S9164–70**

(3) Specter Amendment No. 1484, to provide for a stay of discovery in certain circumstances. **Page S9170**

(4) Specter Amendment No. 1485, to clarify the standard plaintiffs must meet in specifying the defendant's state of mind in private securities litigation. **Pages S9170–73**

A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the bill and the pending amendments proposed thereto, with votes to occur thereon, on Wednesday, June 28, 1995. **Page S9163**

Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Todd J. Campbell, of Tennessee, to be United States District Judge for the Middle District of Tennessee.

James M. Moody, of Arkansas, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Arkansas.

Evan J. Wallach, of Nevada, to be a Judge of the United States Court of International Trade.

Alberto J. Mora, of Florida, to be a Member of the Broadcasting Board of Governors for a term of two years. **Page S9198**

Communications:

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Record Votes: Five record votes were taken today. (Total—290) Pages S9116–17, S9130–31, S9144–45, S9162

Recess: Senate convened at 9:15 a.m., and recessed at 9:38 p.m., until 8:40 a.m., on Wednesday, June 28, 1995. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's RECORD on page S9195.)

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1996 for the Department of Defense, focusing on the ballistic missile defense program, receiving testimony from Lt. Gen. Malcolm R. O'Neill, Director, Ballistic Missile Defense Organization, Department of Defense.

Subcommittee will meet again on Tuesday, July 11.

AUTHORIZATION—DEFENSE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Readiness met and approved those provisions which fall within its jurisdiction of proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal year 1996 for national defense programs.

AUTHORIZATION—DEFENSE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Airland Forces met in closed session to mark up those provisions which fall within its jurisdiction of proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal year 1996 for national defense programs, but did not complete action thereon and will meet again tomorrow.

AUTHORIZATION—DEFENSE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on SeaPower met in closed session and approved those provisions which fall within its jurisdiction of proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal year 1996 for national defense programs.

AUTHORIZATION—DEFENSE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Strategic Forces met in closed session and approved those provisions which fall within its jurisdiction of pro-

posed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal year 1996 for national defense programs.

PROPERTY RIGHTS AND ENVIRONMENTAL LAWS

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Committee held oversight hearings on proposals to supplement the legal framework for private property interests, focusing on the operation of Federal environmental laws, including related provisions of S. 605, receiving testimony from John R. Schmidt, Associate Attorney General, Department of Justice; Joseph L. Sax, Counselor to the Secretary and Deputy Assistant Secretary for Policy, Department of the Interior; New Hampshire State Senator Richard L. Russman, Kingston, on behalf of the National Conference of State Legislatures; Roger J. Marzulla, Akin, Gump, Strauss, Hauer and Feld, Roger Pilon, CATO Institute, and Edward M. Thompson, Jr., American Farmland Trust, all of Washington, D.C.; Frank I. Michelman, Harvard University Law School, Cambridge, Massachusetts; Jim Little, Emmett, Idaho, on behalf of the National Cattlemen's Association; and Don Martin, Albuquerque, New Mexico, on behalf of the National Association of Home Builders.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

SOCIAL SECURITY TRUST FUNDS

Committee on Finance: Subcommittee on Social Security and Family Policy held hearings on proposals to restore the long-term solvency of the Social Security System, focusing on the Old Age and Survivors Insurance Trust Fund and the Disability Insurance Trust Fund, receiving testimony from Senator Kerrey; David M. Walker, Arthur Andersen LLP, Atlanta, Georgia, former Public Trustee of the Social Security and Medicare Trust Funds, and former Assistant Secretary of Labor; and Stanford G. Ross, Arnold & Porter, former Commissioner of Social Security and former Public Trustee of the Social Security and Medicare Trust Funds, Mark A. Weinberger, Oldaker, Ryan & Leonard, Anne C. Canfield, McClure, Gerard & Neuenschwander, Inc., Heather Lamm, Third Millennium, C. Eugene Steuerle, Urban Institute, and Allan Tull, American Association of Retired Persons, all of Washington, D.C.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE OVERSIGHT

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee held oversight hearings on the activities and responsibilities of the Department of Justice, focusing on the administration of justice and the enforcement of laws, receiving testimony from Janet Reno, Attorney General, Department of Justice.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Dianne P. Wood, of Illinois, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Seventh Circuit, Tena Campbell, to be United States District Judge for the District of Utah, George H. King, to be United States District Judge for the Central District of California, and Robert H. Whaley, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Washington, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Ms. Wood was introduced by Senators Simon and Moseley-Braun, Ms. Campbell was introduced by Senators Hatch and Bennett, Mr. King was introduced by Senator Boxer, and Mr. Whaley was introduced by Senators Gorton and Murray.

BRAIN RESEARCH AND HEALTH CARE COST REDUCTION

Special Committee on Aging: Committee concluded hearings to examine how investment in research into the causes and courses of certain diseases can reduce

health care costs, focusing on brain research and the long-term-care costs of brain-related disorders, and a task force report on how to prioritize and fund aging-related research, after receiving testimony from Senator Hatfield; Richard W. Besdine, University of Connecticut Health Center, Farmington, Connecticut, representing the Alliance for Aging Research; Guy M. McKhann, Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, Maryland, representing the Dana Alliance for Brain Initiatives; Jerry Avorn and Dennis J. Selkoe, both of the Brigham and Women's Hospital, and Ole Isacson, McLean Hospital, all of the Harvard University Medical School, Arthur D. Ullian, National Campaign to End Neurological Disorders, and Benjamin Reeve, all of Boston, Massachusetts; Robert M. Goldberg, Brandeis University, Waltham, Massachusetts; Allen D. Roses, Duke University Medical Center, Durham, North Carolina; Dennis W. Choi, Washington University School of Medicine, St. Louis, Missouri; Millicent R. Kondracke, Washington, D.C.; and Frances Powers, Lebanon, Pennsylvania.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: Fifteen public bills, H.R. 1926–1940; and three resolutions, H.J. Res. 98, H. Con. Res. 79, and H. Res. 174 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 541, to reauthorize the Atlantic Tunas Convention Act of 1975, amended (H. Rept. 104–109, Part 2);

H.R. 1642, to extend nondiscriminatory treatment (most-favored-nation treatment) to the products of Cambodia (H. Rept. 104–160);

H.R. 1887, to authorized appropriations for fiscal years 1996 and 1997 for the International Trade Commission, the Customs Service, and the Office of the United States Trade Representatives, amended, (H. Rept. 104–161);

H.R. 1643, to authorize the extension of non-discriminatory treatment (most-favored-nation treatment) to the products of Bulgaria (H. Rept. 104–162);

H.R. 1176, to nullify an executive order that prohibits Federal contracts with companies that hire permanent replacements for striking employees (H. Rept. 104–163);

H. Res. 173, proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States authorizing the Congress and the States to prohibit the physical desecration of the flag of the United States (H. Rept. 104–164).

Pages H6377, H6395–96

Speaker Pro Tempore: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he designates Representative Emerson to act as Speaker pro tempore for today.

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Recess: House recessed at 10:52 a.m. and reconvened at noon.

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Catafalque Transfer: House agreed to S. Con. Res. 18, authorizing the Architect of the Capitol to transfer the catafalque to the Supreme Court for a funeral service—clearing the measure.

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Committees To Sit: The following committees and their subcommittees received permission to sit today during the proceedings of the House under the five-minute rule: Committees on Banking and Financial Services, Commerce, Economic and Educational Opportunities, Government Reform and Oversight, International Relations, Resources, Science, Transportation and Infrastructure, and Select Intelligence.

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Air Force Academy: The Speaker appointed Representatives Young of Florida, Hefley, Dicks, and

Tanner, as members of the Board of Visitors to the United States Air Force Academy on the part of the House.

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Veterans Health Care: House voted to suspend the rules and pass H.R. 1565, amended, to amend title 38, United States Code, to extend through December 31, 1997, the period during which the Secretary of Veterans Affairs is authorized to provide priority health care to certain veterans exposed to Agent Orange, ionizing radiations, or environmental hazards. Agreed to amend the title.

Pages H6319–23

Foreign Operations Appropriations: House continued consideration of H.R. 1868, making appropriations for foreign operations, export financing, and related programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1996; but came to no resolution thereon. Consideration of amendments will continue on Wednesday, June 28.

Pages H6324–77

Agreed to:

The Gilman amendment that strikes language protecting the new child survival account from other laws; maintains a prohibition transferring funds from development assistance to other accounts; restates funding for Russia and the states of the former Soviet Union be used for limited purposes; and lowers the ratio of private to public funds to 1 to 1, that the former states must raise to qualify for certain funding;

Pages H6325–26

The Klug amendment, as amended by the Calahan substitute, that reduces to \$69,000, allocations for the cost of direct and guaranteed loans and strikes language that requires OPIC's subsidy come from its non-credit account;

Pages H6337–39

The Burton of Indiana amendment that eliminates the \$30 million Agency for International Development (AID) reform and downsizing account (agreed to by a recorded vote of 238 ayes to 176 noes, Roll No. 423);

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The Hall of Ohio amendment, as modified, that increases the allocation to the Child Survival and Disease Fund by \$108 million (agreed to by a recorded vote of 263 ayes to 187 noes, Roll No. 424);

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The Miller of Florida amendment, as amended by the Wilson substitute amendment, that reduces funding to the new independent states of the former Soviet Union by \$15 million;

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The Jackson-Lee amendment that increases funding for the African Development Foundation by \$1.5 million; and

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The DeLay amendment, as amended by the Porter amendment (agreed to by a recorded vote of 242 ayes to 180 noes, Roll No. 426) that reduces by \$20 million funding for the World Bank's Global Envi-

ronment Facility (agreed to by a recorded vote of 273 ayes to 146 noes, Roll No. 427).

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Rejected:

The Gilman amendment that sought to reduce the Development Assistance Fund by \$25 million to conform with the foreign aid authorization (rejected by a recorded vote of 202 ayes to 218 noes, Roll No. 420);

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The Sanders amendment that sought to abolish the Overseas Private Investment Corporation (OPIC) by October 1, 1995, and transfer the remaining functions to the State Department (rejected by a recorded vote of 90 ayes and 329 noes, Roll No. 421);

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The Brownback amendment that sought to restore \$24 million in assistance to the states of the former Soviet Union (rejected by a recorded vote of 78 ayes to 340 noes, Roll No. 422); and

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The Hefley amendment to the Wilson substitute to the Miller of Florida amendment that sought to reduce funding to the new independent states of the former Soviet Union by \$327 million (rejected by a recorded vote of 104 ayes to 320 noes, Roll No. 425).

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The following amendments were offered but subsequently withdrawn:

The Richardson amendment that sought to increase funding for migration and refugee assistance by \$1 million to assist the Thai-Burma border crisis;

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The Lowey amendment that sought to prohibit funding for international military education and training in Indonesia; and

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The Wilson amendment that sought to reduce by \$10 million funding for the World Bank's Global Environment Facility.

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Soap Box Derby: House agreed to H. Con. Res. 38, authorizing the use of the Capitol grounds for the Greater Washington Soap Box Derby.

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Senate Messages: Messages received from the Senate today appear on pages H6315–16.

Amendments Ordered Printed: Amendments ordered printed pursuant to the rule appear on pages H6397–98.

Quorum Calls—Votes: Eight recorded votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages H6329–30, H6336–37, H6343–44, H6349, H6353–54, H6360, H6370, and H6370–71.

There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at 10:30 a.m. and adjourned at 11:36 p.m.

Committee Meetings

AGRICULTURE AND INTERIOR APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Ordered reported the following appropriations for fiscal year 1996: Agriculture and Interior.

FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS REGULATORY RELIEF ACT

Committee on Banking and Financial Services: Continued markup of H.R. 1362, Financial Institutions Regulatory Relief Act of 1995.

Will continue tomorrow.

INDIVIDUALS WITH DISABILITIES EDUCATION

Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities: Subcommittee on Early Childhood, Youth and Families continued hearings on the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act. Testimony was heard from Representatives Visclosky and Traficant; and public witnesses.

D.C. SCHOOL REFORM

Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities: Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations held a hearing on D.C. School Reform. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

GOVERNMENT PERFORMANCE AND RESULTS ACT COMPLIANCE

Committee on Government Reform and Oversight: Subcommittee on Government Management, Information, and Technology held a hearing on Government Performance and Results Act Compliance. Testimony was heard from John A. Koskinen, Deputy Director, Management, OMB; Johnny C. Finch, Assistant Comptroller General, General Government Programs, GAO; Anthony A. Williams, Chief Financial Officer, USDA; Vice Adm. Arthur Henn, USCG, Vice Commandant, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Transportation; Joseph Thompson, Director, New York Regional Office, Department of Veterans Affairs; Col. F. Edward Ward, Jr., Director, Field Offices, Defense Finance Accounting Service, Department of Defense; and public witnesses.

ILLICIT DRUG AVAILABILITY

Committee on Government Reform and Oversight: Subcommittee on National Security, International Affairs, and Criminal Justice held a hearing on Illicit Drug Availability: Are Interdiction Efforts Hampered by a Lack of Agency Resources? Testimony was heard from Thomas A. Constantine, Administrator, DEA, Department of Justice; Joseph Kelly, Director-In-Charge, International Affairs Issues, GAO; Ambassador Jane E. Becker, Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary, International Narcotics and Law Enforcement, Department of State; and Brian Sheridan, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Drug Enforcement Policy and Support, Department of Defense; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

VALUE OF MICROENTERPRISE DEVELOPMENT

Committee on International Relations: Held a hearing on the Value of Microenterprise Development. Testimony was heard from Roxann A. VanDusen, Senior Deputy Assistant Administrator, Global Programs, Field Support and Research, AID, U.S. International Cooperation Agency; and public witnesses.

ASIA-U.S. SECURITY INTERESTS

Committee on International Relations: Subcommittee on Asia and the Pacific held a hearing on U.S. Security Interests in Asia. Testimony was heard from Winston Lord, Assistant Secretary, East Asian and Pacific Affairs, Department of State; and the following officials of the Department of Defense: Joseph S. Nye, Assistant Secretary, International Security Affairs; and Adm. Richard C. Macke, USN, Commander-in-Chief, U.S. Pacific Command.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Resources: Subcommittee on Energy and Mineral Resources held an oversight hearing on the issue of Federal oversight of States acting under the Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act of 1977 to effectively regulate active coal mining operations and protect the environment consistent with the State primacy provision of the Act. Testimony was heard from Robert Uram, Director, Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, Department of the Interior; Charles R. Matthews, Commissioner of Railroads, State of Texas; Ted Stewart, Director, Natural Resources, State of Utah; and public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Resources: Subcommittee on Fisheries, Wildlife and Oceans approved for full Committee action the following bills: S. 268, to authorize the collection of fees for expenses for triploid grass carp

certification inspection; and H.R. 1675, amended, National Wildlife Refuge Improvement Act of 1995.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Resources: Subcommittee on National Parks, Forests and Lands approved for full Committee action the following bills: H.R. 1296, amended, to provide for the administration of certain Presidio properties at minimal cost to the Federal taxpayer; H.R. 629, The Fall River Visitor Center Act of 1995; and H.R. 1508, to require the transfer of title to the District of Columbia certain real property in Anacostia Park to facilitate the construction of National Children's Island, a cultural, educational, and family-oriented park.

PROHIBITING PHYSICAL DESECRATION OF THE FLAG

Committee on Rules: Granted, by a voice vote, a rule providing for consideration of H.J. Res. 79, proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States authorizing the Congress and the State to prohibit the physical desecration of the flag of the United States, in the House. The rule provides for 1 hour of general debate. The previous question shall be considered as ordered on the joint resolution to final passage without intervening motion except one motion to recommit, with or without instructions. The rule provides that if the motion to recommit is with instructions, it may only be offered by the minority leader or a designee but shall be debatable for 1 hour, equally divided between the proponent and an opponent. Testimony was heard from Chairman Hyde and Representatives Canady, Conyers, Frank of Massachusetts, Thornton, and Skaggs.

TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER

Committee on Science: Subcommittee on Technology and the Subcommittee on Basic Research held a joint hearing on Technology Transfer. Testimony was heard from Richard Marczewski, Manager, Technology Transfer Office, National Renewable Energy Laboratory, Department of Energy; Ambassador C. Paul Robinson, Vice President, Laboratory Development, Sandia National Laboratory; William Martin, Vice President, Office of Technology Transfer, Lockheed-Martin Energy Systems, Oak Ridge National Laboratory; Peter Lyons, Director, Industrial Partnership Office, Los Alamos National Laboratory; Ronald W. Cochran, Laboratory Executive Officer, Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory; and public witnesses.

SUPERFUND REAUTHORIZATION

Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure: Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment continued hearings on the reauthorization and reform of the Comprehensive Environmental Response,

Compensation and Liability Act of 1980 (Superfund). Testimony was heard from Carol M. Browner, Administrator, EPA; Lois Schiffer, Assistant Attorney General, Department of Justice; Sherri Goodman, Deputy Under Secretary, Environmental Security, Department of Defense; Tom Grumbly, Assistant Secretary, Environmental Management, Department of Energy; and Robert P. Davison, Assistant Secretary, Fish, Wildlife and Parks, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Department of the Interior.

FAMILY MEDICAL SAVINGS AND INVESTMENT ACT

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Health held a hearing on H.R. 1818, Family Medical Savings and Investment Act of 1995. Testimony was heard from Representatives Archer, Jacobs, Christensen, Roberts, Chrysler, Salmon, and Ganske; Brett Schundler, Mayor, Jersey City, New Jersey; and public witnesses.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR WEDNESDAY, JUNE 28, 1995

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

Committee on Armed Services, Subcommittee on Acquisition and Technology, closed business meeting, to mark up those provisions which fall within the subcommittee's jurisdiction of a proposed National Defense Authorization Act for fiscal year 1996, 9 a.m., SR-222.

Subcommittee on Airland Forces, closed business meeting, to continue markup of those provisions which fall under its jurisdiction of proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal year 1996 for national defense programs, 10 a.m., SR-232A.

Full Committee, closed business meeting, to mark up a proposed National Defense Authorization Act for fiscal year 1996, and to receive a report from the Senate Select Committee on Intelligence on the Intelligence Authorization Act for fiscal year 1996, 1 p.m., SR-222.

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs, business meeting, to mark up S. 883, to amend the Federal Credit Union Act to enhance the safety and soundness of federally insured credit unions, and to protect the National Credit Union Share Insurance Fund, and proposed legislation to extend and reauthorize the Defense Production Act, and to consider pending nominations, 10 a.m., SD-538.

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, business meeting, to consider pending calendar business, 9:30 a.m., SD-366.

Committee on Finance, to hold hearings to examine ways to control the cost of the Medicaid program, focusing on the States' perspectives, 9:30 a.m., SD-215.

Committee on the Judiciary, Subcommittee on Immigration, to hold joint hearings with the House Committee on the Judiciary's Subcommittee on Immigration and

Claims to review a report of the U.S. Commission on Immigration, 10 a.m., 2141 Rayburn Building.

Committee on Indian Affairs, to hold hearings on S. 814, to provide for the reorganization of the Bureau of Indian Affairs, 9:30 a.m., SR-485.

House

Committee on Agriculture, to mark up H.R. 1103, Perishable Agricultural Commodities Act, 1930, 10 a.m., 1300 Longworth.

Committee on Appropriations, Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, State, and Judiciary, to mark up appropriation for fiscal year 1996, 1 p.m., H-309 Capitol.

Subcommittee on District of Columbia, on D.C. Finances, 10 a.m., H-144 Capitol.

Subcommittee on Treasury, Postal Service, and General Government, to mark up appropriations for fiscal year 1996, 8:30 a.m., B-307 Rayburn.

Committee on Banking and Financial Services, to continue mark up of H.R. 1362, Financial Institutions Regulatory Relief Act of 1995, 9:30 a.m., 2128 Rayburn.

Committee on Commerce, Subcommittee on Energy and Power, oversight hearing on High-Level Radioactive Waste Disposal, 9:30 a.m., 2322 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Health and Environment, to continue hearings on the Transformation of the Medicaid program, 10 a.m., 2123 Rayburn.

Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities, Subcommittee on Early Childhood, Youth and Families, hearing on the Older American's Act, 10 a.m., 2261 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Workforce Protections, to continue hearings on H.R. 1834, Safety and Health Improvement Reform Act of 1995, 10 a.m., 2175 Rayburn.

Committee on Government Reform and Oversight, Subcommittee on Civil Service, hearing on Funding Civil Service Retirement, 10 a.m., 2154 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on National Security, International Affairs, and Criminal Justice, to continue hearings on Illicit Drug Availability: Are Interdiction Effort Hampered by a Lack of Agency Resources? 10 a.m., 311 Cannon.

Subcommittee on Postal Service, to continue oversight hearings on the U.S. Postal Service, 10 a.m., 2247 Rayburn.

Committee on International Relations, to mark up the following measures: H.R. 927, Cuban Liberty and Democratic Solidarity Act of 1995; and H.J. Res. 83, relating to the United States-North Korea Agreed Framework and the obligations of North Korea under that and previous agreements with respect to the denuclearization of the Korean Peninsular and dialog with the Republic of Korea, 2 p.m., 2172 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on International Economic Policy and Trade, oversight hearing on the U.S. AID Housing Investment Guaranty Program, 10 a.m., 2200 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on International Operations and Human Rights, to consider the issuance of subpoenas, writs of habeas corpus ad testificandum, and/or other measures to secure the attendance of witnesses, 9:30 a.m., 2172 Rayburn.

Committee on the Judiciary, Subcommittee on Commercial and Administrative Law, hearing on state taxation of nonresidents' pension income, including the following bills: H.R. 371, to prohibit a State from imposing an income tax on the pension income of individuals who are not residents or domiciliaries of that State; H.R. 394, to amend title 4 of the United States Code to limit State taxation of certain pension income; and H.R. 744, to limit State taxation of certain pension income, 10 a.m., 2226 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Courts and Intellectual Property, to continue hearings on H.R. 1506, Digital Performance Right in Sound Recordings Act of 1995, 10 a.m., 2237 Rayburn.

Committee on National Security, Subcommittee on Military Personnel, hearing on U.S. POW/MIAs in Laos, 10 a.m., 2118 Rayburn.

Committee on Rules, to consider the following: Conference Report to accompany H. Con. Res. 67, setting forth the congressional budget for the United States Government for the fiscal years 1996, 1997, 1998, 1999, 2000, 2001, and 2002; and a measure making emergency supplemental appropriations for additional disaster assistance and making rescissions for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1995, 4 p.m., H-313 Capitol.

Committee on Science, hearing on Restructuring the Federal Scientific Establishment, 9:30 a.m., and to mark up the following bills: H.R. 1815, American Technology Advancement Act of 1995; H.R. 1175, Marine Resources Revitalization Act of 1995; H.R. 1601, International Space Station Authorization Act; H.R. 1870, American Technology Advancement Act of 1995; H.R. 1852, National Science Foundation Authorization Act; and H.R. 1851, the United States Fire Administration Authorization Act, 12 p.m., 2318 Rayburn.

Committee on Small Business, Subcommittee on Government Programs, hearing on SBA's Low-Documentation (LowDoc) Loan Program, 2 p.m., 2359 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Taxation and Finance, to continue hearings on the Burden of Payroll Taxes on Small Businesses, 10 a.m., 2359 Rayburn.

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct, executive, to consider pending business, 1 p.m., HT-2M Capitol.

Joint Meetings

Joint Hearing: Senate Committee on the Judiciary, Subcommittee on Immigration, to hold joint hearings with the House Committee on the Judiciary's Subcommittee on Immigration and Claims to review a report of the U.S. Commission on Immigration, 10 a.m., 2141 Rayburn Building.

Next Meeting of the SENATE

8:40 a.m., Wednesday, June 28

Senate Chamber

Program for Wednesday: Senate will resume consideration of S. 240, Private Securities Litigation Reform Act, with votes on the pending amendments and final passage to occur thereon.

Senate also expects to begin consideration of S. 343, Comprehensive Regulatory Reform Act.

Next Meeting of the HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

10 a.m., Wednesday, June 28

House Chamber

Program for Wednesday and the balance of the week: Complete consideration of H.R. 1868, Foreign Operations Appropriations Act;

Consideration of H.J. Res. 79, Constitutional Amendment prohibiting the physical desecration of the flag (rule providing 1 hour of debate in the House);

Conference report on H. Con. Res. 67, Budget Resolution;

Conference report on H.R. 483, Medicare Select Extension Act; and

Consideration of H.R. 1905, Energy and Water Appropriation Act.

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